UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN NORTHERN DIVISION

RONDALEE S. LAWRENCE,

Plaintiff.

v.

Case Number 07-13161-BC Honorable Thomas L. Ludington

UNITED STATES POSTMASTER GENERAL,

Defendant.

ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION AND DENYING PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

This matter is before the Court on a report issued by Magistrate Judge Charles E. Binder on September 18, 2007, recommending Plaintiff Rondalee Lawrence's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* be denied. As of today's date, no party has filed any objections to the magistrate judge's report and recommendation. The plaintiff's failure to file objections to the report and recommendation waives any further right to appeal. *Smith v. Detroit Federation of Teachers Local* 231, 829 F.2d 1370, 1373 (6th Cir. 1987). Likewise, the failure to object to the magistrate judge's report releases the Court from its duty to independently review the record. *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140, 149 (1985). However, the Court agrees with the conclusion of the magistrate judge.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the magistrate judge's report and recommendation [dkt #5] is **ADOPTED** and that Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* [dkt #2] is **DENIED**.

s/Thomas L. Ludington
THOMAS L. LUDINGTON
United States District Judge

Dated: October 17, 2007

PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served upon each attorney or party of record herein by electronic means or first class U.S. mail on October 17, 2007.

s/Tracy A. Jacobs
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